

MAY

FOUR WEEK TOTALS

05/04/08 TO 05/31/08

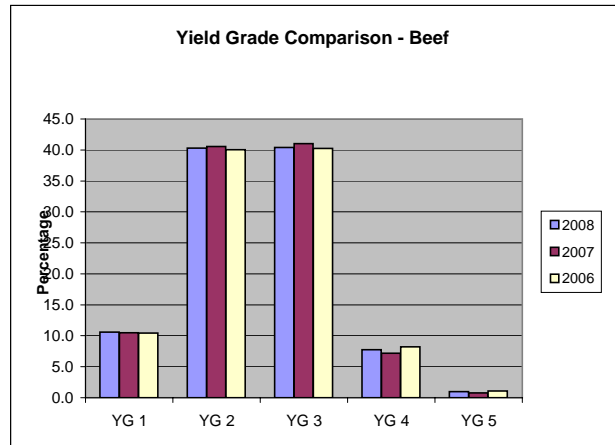
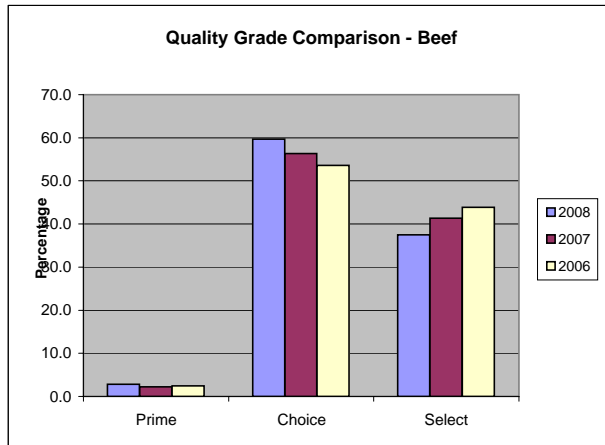
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QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED	% OF TOTAL STEER AND HEIFER OFFERED
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5				
PRIME	305	6,256	18,733	6,309	1,235	13,175	46,012	2.8	2.6
CHOICE	31,368	271,766	392,126	81,487	10,020	192,806	979,572	59.7	54.7
SELECT	90,804	255,346	138,516	18,016	1,757	110,536	614,974	37.5	34.3
STANDARD	0	14	45	12	2	398	470	0.0	0.0
COMMERCIAL	0	8	47	45	11	0	111	0.0	
UTILITY	0	37	150	86	12	0	285	0.0	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
YIELD ONLY	24,680	27,429	12,672	2,050	363				
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	147,156	560,856	562,289	108,005	13,399				
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	10.6	40.3	40.4	7.8	1.0				

95.4% of Federal Inspected Steer and Heifers offered represents total Steers and Heifers Graded.

0.1% of Federal Inspected Cows offered represents total Cows graded.

82.6% of Federal Inspected Beef offered represents total Beef (Steers, Heifers, and Cows) graded.



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LAMB AND MUTTON

QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5			
PRIME	0	110	401	221	73	0	807	8.6
CHOICE	408	2,488	4,200	1,232	257	0	8,585	91.4
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	409	2,599	4,601	1,453	330			
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	4.3	27.7	49.0	15.5	3.5			

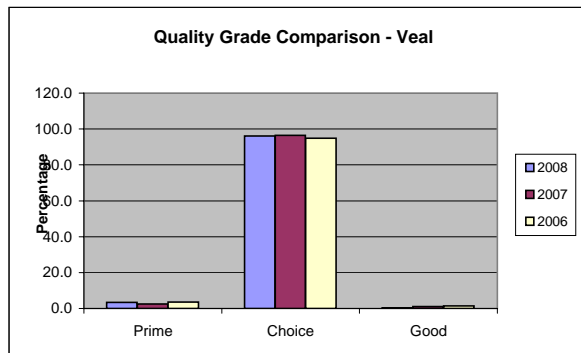
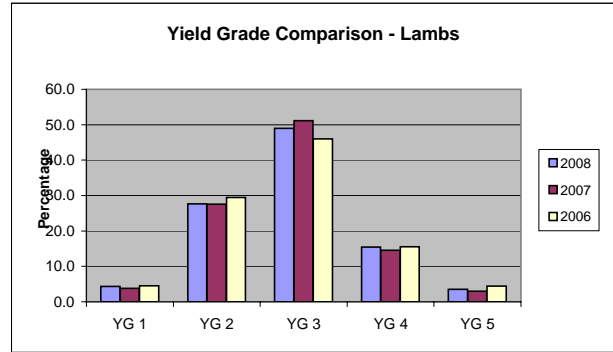
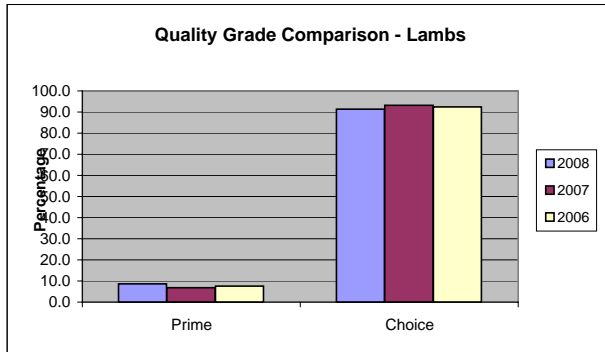
VEAL AND CALF

QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
PRIME	116	3.4
CHOICE	3,278	96.2
GOOD	14	0.4
STANDARD	0	0.0
UTILITY	0	0.0
TOTAL	3,408	100.0

32.5% of Federal Veal
and Calf offered represents
total Veal and Calf graded.

TOTAL BULL/BULLOCK	0
TOTAL PORK	0

76.2% of Federal Inspected Lamb offered represents total Lambs Graded.



NATIONAL SUMMARY OF MEATS GRADED
(NUMBER OF HEAD)

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	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5				
PRIME	386	7,927	23,736	7,994	1,565	16,694	58,302	2.8%	2.6
CHOICE	39,746	344,353	496,860	103,252	12,696	244,303	1,241,210	59.6%	54.7
SELECT	115,057	323,547	175,513	22,828	2,226	140,059	779,230	37.4%	34.3
STANDARD	0	18	57	15	2	504	596	0.0%	0.0
COMMERCIAL	0	13	78	74	18	0	183	0.0%	
UTILITY	0	61	246	141	20	0	468	0.0%	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	
YIELD ONLY	31,272	34,755	16,057	2,598	460				
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	186,461	710,674	712,547	136,902	16,987				
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	10.5%	40.2%	40.4%	7.7%	0.9%				

LAMB AND MUTTON

QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5			
PRIME	6	1,488	5,404	2,983	981	0	10,862	8.5%
CHOICE	5,496	33,514	56,561	16,590	3,466	0	115,627	91.4%
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	5,502	35,002	61,965	19,573	4,447			
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	4.3%	27.6%	48.9%	15.4%	3.5%			

VEAL AND CALF

QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
PRIME	712	3.4%
CHOICE	20,112	96.1%
GOOD	85	0.4%
STANDARD	0	0.0%
UTILITY	0	0.0%
TOTAL	20,909	

TOTAL BULL/BULLOCK 0
TOTAL PORK 0

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